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## WHAT I WOULD DO IF I WERE PRESIDENT

Vice-President Fairbanks Gives Out His First Interview Since He Came Into the LineLight—He Quietly Sets Forth His Articles of Faith.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 14.—Sitting on the wide breeze swept piazza of his modest home here, which the second official of the land says is a summer resort enough for him, Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks today gave to the United Press what is probably his first political interview—certainly his first since he has been in the limelight as a presidential possibility.

Incidentally but hardly in a direct way, he outlined what he would do if he were president. He told of his plans; of the speeches he has made and will make; why he thinks he should make them and his idea of the duties of a public servant. Mr. Fairbanks has just returned from his second speech making trip to the Pacific coast since July. He makes

no charges for his speeches and pays his own expenses.

Vice President Fairbanks believes: That public officials from president down should keep in touch with the great mass of people.

The highest interests of the American people are common interests. "We must go up or down together."

The interest of labor in the making of our welfare is greater than that of capital.

The man is dull indeed who believes that the waking up of the people to their rights and wrongs can be smothered.

No one can rightfully reproach President Roosevelt for his prompt enforcement of the laws.

Prosperity is the paramount issue; there is always enough hard times to go around.

## WALTER WELLMAN ABANDONS HIS TRIP

He Made the Start and Found His Air Ship a Complete Success But a Storm Was Encountered and a Landing Was Made on an Iceberg—Mrs. Wellman is Notified.

Trondheim, Norway, Sept. 14.—Walter Wellman, the head of the Wellman Chicago Record-Herald expedition, has arrived at Tromsø from Spitzbergen on his way home. He announced that he had definitely abandoned for this year, after a disastrous trial of his airship, the proposed attempt to reach the North pole. The airship made an ascent on Sept. 2, in a strong northwesterly wind, which drove her south-eastwards over the land. It was found necessary to cut the balloon adrift from the other parts of the airship, but it was recovered after two days' search.

Mr. Wellman says he will make another attempt with a new airship in 1908.

Tromsø, Norway, Sept. 14.—Walter Wellman and his party, composing the Wellman Chicago Record-Herald expedition, arrived here last evening on the Frithjofa from Spitzbergen. Mr. Wellman says the airship America left her shed Sept. 2 and made an ascent in bad weather, but she proved so strong and behaved so well that a start north was immediately made. The airship,

however, encountered a storm, was driven back and landed on top of a glacier. Everything was saved.

When the airship left the shed it was anchored to a steamer, the Express, which helped to tow it to Vogel Bay island two miles northward to Camp Wellman. Riesenberg and Vanderman occupied the car. The motors were found to work splendidly and when it was started, drove the America ahead of the steamer. It was found that the airship answered her helm well.

Off Vogel Bay island the America was freed from her anchor ropes, but an increasing gale and a driving snowstorm beat her backward over the main land of Spitzbergen. Seeing the hopelessness of attempting to battle with the gale the valves were opened and the balloon quickly descended on a glacier.

Canton, O., Sept. 14.—Mrs. Walter Wellman, who is at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Clarke, in this city, received this cablegram yesterday:

"Started. Encountered storm. Everything saved. Ship a success. "WELLMAN."

## WILL WED PRISONER

Deputy at State Prison to Marry Former Inmate at the Institution.

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 14.—At White Hill, ten miles from here, today a state prison deputy will take for his wife a woman recently released from the institution under parole. The woman is still obliged to report to the parole agent of the state.

The bridegroom to be is Frank Suydam, and his bride-elect is Mrs. Susan Doblinski, of Lambertville. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. William H. Carter, pastor of the White Hill Methodist Episcopal church.

Mrs. Doblinski, previous to her first marriage, about twelve years ago, was regarded as one of the handsomest and brightest women of Lambertville. After her marriage and death of her husband she conducted a hotel in Lambertville, where she was arrested last winter on the charge of violating the excise laws. She was convicted and sent to prison for one year, but was paroled by the court of pardons.

## WANTS TO BE GOVERNOR

Bandit Raisuli Makes Numerous Demands MacLean is Well.

London, Sept. 14.—"Raisuli no longer asks for British or other protection in return for the release of Capt Sir Harry MacLean, the Englishman who has been his prisoner since early in July," telegraphs the Tangier correspondent of The Daily Mail.

"He is more ambitious and is demanding that he be made the governor of the hill tribes inhabiting a great part of northern Morocco. Furthermore he seeks compensation for flocks and herds which he alleges have been taken from himself and his relatives; insists that some of his former friends be put in chains, and wants to be supplied with magazine rifles and ammunition.

"Sir Harry MacLean," the correspondent adds, "is well. He now has his own tent, bed and servants."

## RUSSIAN PRINCE IS ASSASSINATED

Tiflis, Russia, Sept. 14.—Prince Chav Chavade, of the council of the empire, has been assassinated in the Bushety district. The prince was wounded at the same time.

## PRINCE AUGUST OF COBURG IS DEAD

Carlsruhe, Sept. 14.—Prince August of Coburg, died here today.

## ACT OF A HEROINE

Mother Almost Gives Her Life to Save Her Little Baby.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 14.—Regardless of danger to herself, Mrs. Max Heller, in her anxiety to save her sleeping baby, rushed into a burning dwelling early Saturday.

A few minutes later Fireman McSweeney fought his way through the blinding smoke and rescued mother and infant. Both had been overcome, and were found unconscious on the floor near a door leading to the stairway. A minute's delay and they would have been beyond help.

A dwelling, a store, and a half frame structure, sheltered almost fifty people. All escaped.

## PAPERS TO BLAME

Conference Clears Rev. Tinsley of the Charge of Heresy.

Cleveland, Sept. 14.—The committee of members of the East Ohio Methodist conference, appointed to hear the charges that Rev. Charles W. Tinsley, of Youngstown, was guilty of heresy, today reported, "that because of certain newspaper notoriety which had been given the sermons of Rev. Tinsley, some members of his congregation had felt justified in questioning his orthodoxy, that the newspaper reports of Tinsley's preaching were such as to indicate that he denied the miraculous birth of Christ, the resurrection and certain other fundamental Methodist beliefs, but that no evidence has been found that he did so believe and Rev. Tinsley himself testified that he did so believe, and Rev. Tinsley himself testified that he did believe in the teachings; therefore he is not guilty of unministerial or unchristian conduct."

The report was adopted by unanimous vote.

Rev. Tinsley is one of the leading Methodist ministers of the central west and before going to the First Methodist Episcopal church at Youngstown, held prominent charges at Terre Haute and Indianapolis, Indiana.

## JAPS AND CHINESE

Fight Continuously During An Ocean Voyage.

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—With a dozen of its 150 Oriental passengers suffering from wounds so seriously that a number of deaths are expected and a dozen more in irons in the brig, the bark Electra reached port today after a voyage of almost continual battle between 150 Chinese and Japanese hands taken on board at Moshagak, Alaska. The fighting between the two nationalities began almost before the Electra got to sea and continued unintermittently until port was reached.

## RIOTING IN KORKA

Japan is Alarmed And Sends Troops to the Hermit Kingdom.

Tokyo, Sept. 14.—Alarmed by anti-Japanese outbreaks in the heart of the Mikado's sphere of influence in Korea, the Tokyo authorities are despatching five regiments of reinforcements to General Hasegawa's force in the Hermit Kingdom.

Rioting which was at first restricted largely to the southeastern section of the country in which there were few Japanese interests, is now spreading to the southwest, where the Japanese are numerous and have large investments.

Although General Hasegawa reports the situation well in hand, much uneasiness is felt here lest the disorders become general, involving a long campaign against the native population.

## SON IS AVENGED

Shoots His Father's Murderer Who is Just Out of Prison.

New York, Sept. 14.—Joseph Marcancino, 29 years old, a barber of Williamsburg, last night shot and instantly killed James Baslin, 18 years old, of Williamsburg. A year ago young Baslin killed Marcancino's father, Michael.

At the time the elder Marcancino

was killed he was trying to dispossess the Baslin family from a tenement house which he owned.

On the plea that he had acted in self-defense, young Baslin got off with 15 months in Elmira. For good behavior his sentence was shortened and he was released a week ago. The murdered man's son immediately let Baslin know that he would kill him at the first opportunity.

Last night Baslin and his sister, Rose, were sitting on the stoop of their home, eating watermelon, when Marcancino came up. Without a word, he drew a revolver and shot Baslin through the right eye. Then he fired at the girl, and sent a bullet through her right arm.

Marcancino was captured by the police and locked up.

## HE'S NOT A LIAR

Rev. King Did Speak Indecent-Tobacco Chewing Not Considered.

Cleveland, Sept. 14.—The report of the East Ohio Methodist Episcopal conference's special committee in the case of Rev. W. King, pastor of the Ulrichsville Ohio Methodist Episcopal church, delivered to the conference today, found Rev. King not guilty of lying; sustained the charge of defamation of character, in that he spoke indecently and extravagantly of various members of his congregation, and found him not guilty of immorality. He was declared guilty of unministerial conduct, however, and a reprimand was recommended. This was administered in executive session today by Bishop Willson.

The charge of tobacco chewing, made against Rev. King, was pronounced by the committee so trivial that no report was made upon it.

KING GETS EVEN

Immediately after Rev. King's case was disposed of, Bishop Willson appointed a trial committee of fifteen to hear the counter-charges of immorality made by Rev. King against Presiding Elder C. B. Henthorne, of his district.

The trial committee went into immediate session. Miss Rosetta Scott a young girl will be the chief witness against Rev. Hawthorne.

## FRENCH CAPTURE RING LEADERS

Lalalla-Marina, Algeria, Sept. 14.—With the object of repressing at once all incipient rebellion of western Morocco in the vicinity of the Algerian frontier, the French authorities at Oudja have arrested the former and present sheiks of Oudja and two other ringleaders in the agitation to foment anti-French feeling.

The four Moors arrived here today in chains and will be handed over to two imperial Moorish chiefs for conveyance to Tangier.

GIVING 'EM WHAT PADDY GAVE THE DRUM.



"Bring on the next one! I'll put a stop to this window breakin'!"

## DESPERADOES DEN A MINIATURE CATECOMBS

Eight Partly Decomposed Bodies and Heaps of Human Bones Found by Portuguese Authorities When a Raid was Made.

Lisbon, Portugal, Sept. 14.—Through today's round-up of a gang of desperadoes and the discovery of their lair, a miniature catacombs in the suburbs of Lisbon, it is believed the mystery surrounding scores of crimes and dozens of disappearances will be cleared up. The bandits' trial is expected to prove one of the most startling criminal proceedings of modern times.

In the catacombs were found eight partly decomposed bodies and heaps of human bones believed to be the remains of the "mysteriously disappeared" victims. It is believed that after robbing their victims, the thieves killed them and placed the bodies in the secret caves and tunnels.

When the police visited the place, a dozen men were surprised. They offered desperate resistance, but were overcome.

## LIPTON COMING AFTER THE CUP

Challenge Has Been Sent to the New Yacht Club by the Noted Sportsman—New Yacht to be Known as Shamrock IV Will be Designed by Fife.

London, Sept. 14.—Sir Thomas Lipton will make another attempt in 1908 to regain the America's cup for Great Britain. The announcement was made yesterday by Sir Thomas in London and by the secretary of the Royal Irish Yacht club at Dublin.

The challenge, which goes to the New York Yacht club in the name of the Royal Irish Yacht club, was mailed from Dublin.

It probably will be taken to New York by the steamer Umbria, which leaves Southampton today.

The details of the challenge were arranged when Sir Thomas visited Dublin recently in the course of a yachting cruise around the British Isles on board the Erin. He told a friend months ago of his intention to challenge, but, having until the end of September to take action, he deferred challenging until the eleventh hour, not being desirous of giving the American yachtsmen more time than necessary to make preparations for defending the cup, they having, it is claimed, a great advantage in it being necessary for the challenging yacht to cross the Atlantic.

It is not known why Sir Thomas decided to challenge through the Royal Irish Yacht club instead of the Royal Ulster Yacht club, which issued the previous challenges in his behalf, unless it is that he thinks a change of luck may follow his change of clubs.

It is learned that Fife will be asked to design the challenger if he is not already at work on the Shamrock IV., for that is to be the new yacht's name. The builders of the challenger have not been selected so far as can be learned, but it is probable that Sir Thomas in his own mind at least, has chosen the men who are to build the yacht.

He is credited with saying that if he does not win this time he will believe it impossible to bring the cup back.

The last challenger, like the three previous Shamrocks, will have to be sailed across the Atlantic but she will be so built that the handicap on this account will not be so great as in former years. It has been reported that Sir Thomas intends to send two yachts across the Atlantic and after trying them over the Sandy Hook course, to enter the better in the races. This, however, cannot be done without the consent of the New York Yacht club.

New York, Sept. 14.—The news from London that Sir Thomas Lipton, in the name of the Royal Irish Yacht club, has sent another challenge for the America's cup did not cause any surprise among yachtsmen in this city. While the members of the New York Yacht club had no official intimation of the English yachtsman's intentions it was generally believed that the end of the present racing season would witness the issuance of the challenge.

The new measurement rule, which will apply in connection with the present challenge, has been tried out in fast sailing yachts of the larger class this summer. It is especially designed to overcome the defects in the old rule which made possible the freak racing machine such as the more recent cup defenders and challengers.

If the race foreshadowed in Sir Thomas' challenge are sailed under the new rule, the contesting yachts will be normal seaworthy boats, and not creations to be sent to the junk shop when they have fulfilled their original purpose.

## WIFE DOES NOT GRIEVE

Mrs. Earle Does not Regret Surrendering to His "Affinity".

Boulogne, France, Sept. 14.—Mrs. Ferdinand Pinney Earle, the "put away" wife of Artist Ferdinand Earle, of New York, does not regret her surrender of her husband to his affinity. Miss Julia Kuttner, and is not jealous of the woman who is to succeed her when she secures her contemplated divorce.

Mrs. Earle expressed her opinion today on the arrival of the steamer Rhynand, which brought her back to her home in France. She said: "It was the only thing to do. We could see no other way out of what had become a miserable situation. It was an unhappy, if not painful, realization that we could no longer live together and we parted."

## PETTIBONE'S TRIAL MUST BE POSTPONED

Boise, Idaho, Sept. 14.—George A. Pettibone, charged with complicity in the murder of Governor Steunenberg, was taken to the hospital early in a critical condition and an operation probably will be necessary.

There will be no further prosecution in the case at present.

## BUMBLE BEE STINGS MAY PROVE FATAL

Bellefontaine, Sept. 14.—Oscar Tropp of Ridgeway ran into a bumble bee's nest and was stung so badly that he may die.